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USDOC PASS TO US TRAVEL SERVICE

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, DR
SUBJECT: GODR REQUEST FOR USG ASSISTANCE IN TOURISM DATA
COLLECTION, ANALYSIS

1. THE CENTRAL BANK HAS APPROACHED THE EMBASSY ON BEHALF OF INFRATUR, THE BANK'S DEPARTMENT FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF TOURIST INFRASTRUCTURE, SEEKING USG ASSISTANCE IN UPGRADING THE QUALITY OF INFRATUR'S STATISTICAL CAPABILITY IN THE TOURISM SECTOR.

2. SPECIFICALLY, THE BANK IS INTERESTED IN HAVING AN EXPERT FROM THE US TRAVEL SERVICE OR OTHER APPROPRIATE USG AGENCY VISIT THE DR, ANALYZE CURRENT TECHNICAL QUALITY OF INFRATUR'S STATISTICAL SECTION, AND SUGGEST IMPROVEMENTS. THE BANK ALSO ASKED WHETHER THE US HAS TRAINING COURSES FOCUSING ON TOURISM STATISTICS THAT INFRATUR PERSONNEL COULD ATTEND.

3. INFRATUR IS HOPEFUL THAT THE ABOVE CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED ON A NON-REIMBURSABLE BASIS. EMBASSY NOTED THAT THIS MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE, AND SUGGESTED THAT INFRATUR EXPLORE POSSIBILITY OF OBTAINING A WORLD BANK GRANT TO FINANCE NEEDED STUDY/TRANINING. INFRATUR AGREED.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING A) WHETHER
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A USG EXPERT ON TOURISM STATISTICS COULD BE MADE AVAILABLE TO INFRATUR ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS; B) WHETHER DR WOULD INDEED HAVE TO PAY FOR SUCH AN EXPERT; C) WHETHER USG SPONSORS ANY TRAINING COURSES IN TOURISM STATISTICS.
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